Views of the Situation in Various

Parts of the Union.

NEW YORK DEMOCRATS.

It is Said That Tammany Men Want to Know What Cleveland Will Do-The Virginia Third Party Launched-Mr. Compton May

WHAT WILL CLEVELAND DO?

That Is a Question Which New York Demo

ndence of The Evening Star NEW YORK, August 19, 1892. Now that Platt, Quay, Dudley and Clarkson have come into line in support of the republican ticket the politicians here are anxiously ineniring what the democrats of New York are going to do. Whether Senator Hill, Mr. Croker. Chairman Murphy, Lieut, Gov. Sheehan, Gov. Flower and others of the state and city organizations of the democratic party are going to take hold in earnest for Cleveland is something that everybody is anxious to know. And nobody is able to answer the question. Talk to a democrat for publication and he will tell you, yes, but take him quietly aside and ask him to tell you for your own information and "not to be quoted" and he will tell you frankly that everything depends on Mr. Cleveland and the attitude he takes in the matter. Then, read what Croker, Murphy, Hill, Flower, Springer and others said about the attitude that the state and city democracy must hold toward Cleveland in case of his nomination two months ago, and you begin his nomination two months ago, and you begin to understand why it is that the shrewdest democrats and those best posted on the situation admit that everything must depend upon the attitude which Mr. Cleveland and his represent-

WHAT TAMMANT-HILL MEN ARE THINKING OF. The fact is, the Tammany-Hill people are kinking more about the treatment they are Blely to get from Cleveland, Whitney, Grace Fairchild and others of that class than they are about Mr. Cleveland himself. They are questioning in their minds what is going to become not merely of the people who want office under Cleveland and won't getitif he is elected, but of the splendid party organization which the anti-Cleveland people have built up in New York state and city. Chairman Murphy, who committee, in an authorized inter-furnished in Chicago just before speaking of the prospective nomination and election of Cleveland said: "It would mean etruction of the regular democratic ornization of the great democratic cities of the te, and in the state itself, under which organization the party has successively won victories by increasing majorities for the past seven years. It would not be possible for Gov. Hill and every member of the national delegation talking from now to the day of the elec-tion, with the aid of the state and local organi zations, to convince the rank and file of the democrats that the nomination and election of Mr. Cleveland would not be to put into power the mugwumps or the conditional demo-erats over those who have contributed so much to the success of the democratic party of the

This terse statement from the chairma shrewdest and most far-seeing and experienced democrats here, who is not identified with Tamdemocrats here, who is not identified with Tammany, the state organization or the Cleveland organization, said, in talking of the situation to THE STAR correspondent: "I think it is merely a question of what Mr. Cleveland does or agrees to do for these people who have built up this magnificent organization. Both of the presidential candidates have been sitting back on their dignity up in the woods and leaving their inexparienced men to the sleep the best there their dignity up in the woods and leaving their inexperienced men to tug along the best they can, without the aid of any assurances to the people who hold the key to the situation in this state. Mr. Harrison has evidently seen the situation as it really is, and has passed along some sort of word which has proven satisfactory to the republicans who hold the key to the situation on their side. The people who are at the head of the stic organization in New York don't put putting into power a man who will d's own course now and upon what conces-ns and pledges he makes to these people. If sits quietly back, making no advances and to manage everything and make no con-cessions or pledges it can scarcely be expected that the people who prize their own organiza-tion in the city and state more than the elec-tion of a man who they feel treated them badly when he was President before will deliberately as well that he find it out through the columns of THE STAR as in any other way if he is not al-ready aware of it."

IN LINE WITH FORMER STATEMENTS. So much for the opinion of a man whose judgment is better than that of perhaps by Congressman Springer just prior to the nomination of Mr. Cleveland. Mr. Springer had been in consultation at Chicago with the leading New York democrats and had evithe leading New York democrats and had evi-dently gotten hold of the right end of their arguments and views. Talking of the prospective effect of the nomination of Cleve-land he said at that time: "If Cleveland should

democratic state committee, Lieutenant Gov-ernor Sheehan, now chairman of the state cam-politics. It last year ordered that its secretary paign committee; Charles R. DeFreest, secretary of the state campaign committee; Congressmen Cockran, Cummings, Fellows, Quack-enbush, Gen. Slekles, Gen. Slocum and others of equal prominence and influence signed a statement saying, "With a deep sense of responsibility to the democracy of the United States we are constrained to make answer that in our best judgment Mr. Cleveland's nomination would imperil the success of the party and would expose it to the loss of the electoral vote of the state."

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All this is ancient history, of course. Yet it s very important in its bearing upon the situa-tion here today. It shows what the real feeling of the rank and file of the state democracy is, and that leaders and others in the state or-ganizations are very reluctant to adopt a course which they feel would imperil, if it did not ab-

IN THE OLD DOMINION. AMONG CAMPAIGNERS. The Third Party Pairty in the Field as

While many thought the effort would be made none dared to predict its accomplishment. It came "like a thief at night" and carried off the prize so quietly and successfully that even its most sanguine leaders were astonished. The final test was put in the convention yes-terday afternoon when Mr. Wescott of Acco-mac county, the leader of the alliance democrats, offered a resolution providing that no alliance funds should be used for any other than strictly alliance purposes and that lectur-ers of the organization be required to give time paid for by the state Alliance exclusively to the interest of the order and not to the pousal of any political cause.

THE FINAL STRUGGLE. This precipitated the final struggle. All the members realized the crisis had come and here marks the democrats' Waterloo. Mr. Wescott, Mr. Winston of Hanover and Mr. Thomas of Mr. Winston of Hanover and Mr. Thomas of Suffolk, the alliance democrats, made a desperate fight to carry the resolution. They warned the farmers against this "third party republican grab" as they called it and urged them to steer clear of political breakers and return to the original objects of the alliance. Their appeals were in vain, for the third party speakers, led on by State Senator J. H. Hobson, soon wiped away any impressions made. n, soon wiped away any impressions m by the alliance democrats. They promised un-limited prosperity in the demands of the third party. The present burdens of the former were pictured in all their horror and the third party as a Mecca where all wrongs would be righted

Was adopted by a vote of about 50 to 30.

This ended the fight. The democrate gave up the struggle and did not accept the result. They have already signified their intention to withdraw from the body. The following, all third party men, were selected to comprise the judiciary committee: Wm. Ellis of Montgomery, A. O. Baum of Princess Anne and J. R. Wingfield of Albemarie.

The following delegates were chosen to the annual convention of the national alliance: Mann Page, C. Randolph Harrison, J. Brad Beverley: alternates, Dr. Winston, E. C. Cooke and J. H. Hobson. The three assistant state lecturers are G. P. Spangler of Patrick county, E. L. Newberry of Bland and C. Bloxton of Appomattox.

The newly chosen officers were installed last night by National President H. L. Loucks.

PLANNING A VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN.

Immediately after the convention adjourne sine die, about 12:30 a.m., the legislative council of the order met in secret session. It is learned today that at this meeting a vigorous campaign was decided upon and that no effort should be spared in the state to elect local and gressmen, and nominations will be made where-ever there is the least chance of success. In this, the third district, the third party will name a candidate to oppose Capt. George D. Wise, who will undoubtedly be nominated by the democratic convention to be held on the 6th of September. It is believed that Mahone has diss

Langston from his announced candidacy for Congress on the republican ticket in this district. This confirms the prediction of THE STAR that the fusion plan had practically been agreed upon by the third party and republicans. In no district in the state does there appear a republican and a third party candidate, each concessing the democrat. sach opposing the democrat.
State Democratic Committeeman J. Taylor

that owing to the perfect organization of the democratic party in the state he was confident of re-electing all of the ten Congressmen as well as carrying the state for Cleveland.

B. B. Turner, the third party candidate for

Congress in the eighth district, is making a strong

IN THE TAR HEYL STATE. Skinner's Attitude Said to Have Been Dictated by Shrewd Politics.

The political talk is still of Harry Skinner and his act at the third party state convention in declaring that if the fact appeared that the republicans were making use of the divisions in the democratic party to divide North Carolina white men he must be in a position to step down and out as the third party's nominee for governor and take his place in line with the democrats in their state campaign. Shrewd politicians say that really his declaration was a master stroke, but his party had not the grasp of mind to understand it. If they had given the privilege thus demanded Skinner could have informed the republican party (anxious have informed the republican party (anxious above all things to defeat the democrats) that if it put up a state ticket he would come down and cast his influence for the democratic state ticket. The bulk of the republican voters would have in such a case been whipped by their leaders into supporting Skinner, and with this vote and that of the third party he would have been a terror to the democrats. But all this chance is now past.

vention of the second district Skinner was nominated for Congress. As in the case of the nominated for Congress. As in the case of the gubernatorial nomination here, he got it by acclamation. He made the same requirement that he made of the state convention and again he was turned down. He withdrew his name, just as he did hefore, and then E. A. Moye of Pitt county was nominated. J. T. Respess, a veteran republican, was nominated for elector.

Now, then, for a strange statement. Though Skinner's plan was the one which would have really endangered democratic success, because it would have practically forced a coalition of republicans and third party men, the democrats, particularly by ex-Gov. Jarvis, to do what he had done.

This statement finds believers among men who have no idea of what Skinner's purpose

nominated he would not trust the Murphy or regular committee to conduct his canvass, and that committee would not assume the responsibility of conducting the canvass, but would insist upon the new elements taking hold. The prime movers in the Syracuse convention have not had the political experience to enable them to successfully conduct a canvass such as would be required in the ensuing presidential contest. Many of them have been noted in politics for frequent alliances with prominent republicans against regular organizations of the party. Others are mere doctrinaires imbued with principles—and very good principles at that—but with little knowledge of practical politics. To discard the organization which nominated Cleveland twice and once carried the state for him for President, which mominated and elected him governor and which now has seven successive and signal victories to its credit in the state of New York would be an act of political suicide."

Gov. Flower on the same occasion said in a speech to the Mississippi democrats: "From my knowledge of the temper of the democrats of "New York state I am positive that Mr. Cleveland cannot carry New York if he should be neminated."

In addition to this Chairman Murphy of the

THE ALLIANCE IN POLITICS. The Farmers' Alliance cuts a poor figure

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is said that party's canvass will not begin until The Third Party Fairly in the Field as a Political Organization.

Correspondence of The Evening Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Aug. 19, 1892.

With the adjournment of the state Farmers' Alliance convention last night dawned a new era in Virginia politics. The result of the deliberations places the third party directly and formally before the people as a contesting organization. There are now in the state three separate and distinct political parties all consequences.

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Chairman Eaves renews his assertion that the republicans will not the contest of the combinations.

> Dr. Exum, the third party's nominee for gov-ernor, made his maiden speech in the canvass enthusiasm. Marion Butler, chairman of the third party convention and president of the state alliance, was with him.
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> So far the campaign has been impersonal, and there have been no hard words. But yes-

and there have been no hard words. But yes-terday in his speech near here Mr. Marion Butler alluded in an uncomplimentary way to a newspaper here. Today the latter replies in kind. As a rule campaigns in North Carolina are conducted on a high plane, and while people this year are unusually stirred up, yet there is no reason to believe that this campaign will differ

POLITICS IN OHIO.

Sherman and Foraker Forces Opposed-Criticism of the Democratic Management. Correspondence of The Evening Star.

COLUMBUS, ORIO, August 19, 1892.

William M. Hahn of Mansfield, Ohio, who has been given charge of the bureau of speakers by Cook. The judges were Lieuts. S. C. Redman committee, has had a short and remarkably successful career as a political manager. Five county of Richland. Today he is known all over Ohio as the most astute political manager that the republican party in this state contains. He is a carpenter by trade, but left the bench early in the seventies to engage in the insurance business, from which he has never fully with-drawn. He was born in Carlisle, Pa., in 1845, so that he is now but forty-seven years of age.

Before the war broke out his parents had removed to Shelby. Ohio, from which place young Hahn entered the army, a lad of only sixteen years, being a drummer boy and attached to company H, sixty-fourth Ohio brigade—Sherman's brigade. He subsequently served on Gen. Hooker's staff and was twice wounded. He learned the carpenter's trade after retiring from the army. Mr. Hahn is now serving his second term as member of the state board of public works.

In the Sherman-Foraker senatorial fight last

winter he espoused the cause of his neighbor, Senator John Sherman, and being state execu-tive chairman at the time, was severely de-nounced for doing so by the Foraker wing of the party. Their bitter attacks upon him, probably more than anything else, made him one of the most pronounced of the anti-Foraker republicans. Last year, and three years ago, he was state executive chairman of his party and led it to a decisive victory upon each occa-sion, electing Daniel J. Ryan secretary of state and the entire republican ticket in the first instance, and Maj. McKinley governor and the entire republican ticket in the second.

Just before each of these elections he gave out in figures his estimate of what the result would be, and so close was it to the actual result in each case as to make one of two things absolutely certain, viz: That Mr. Hahn was a political prophet or a very thorough and systematic campaign manager.

It is the general opinion here in Ohio that he will prove a valuable acquisition to the management of the national republican campaign.

CRITICISING THE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE. Dr. J. A. Norton of Tiffin, ex-chairman of the state democratic executive committee, and now Parson. Skinner, Bailey, Malone, Hancock, Astel, Walker, McConville, Medin, Jones broth-Dr. J. A. Norton of Tiffin, ex-chairman of the connected with the legal department of the Baltimore and Ohio railway, is talking very freely and critically, too, concerning the new democratic state executive committee and what

it is doing, or rather not doing. He makes no the belies of the occasion were Miss Dora Knight, who wore a white cashmere trimmed in the party or Valenciances local Miss Mazie Lynham, cream Valenciances local Miss Mazie Lynham, cream or valenciants and the party or valenciants are valenciants and the party or valenciants and the part ganization in the state has been captured com-pletely by the same faction of the party that captured and controlled the democratic state captured and controlled the democratic state convention here in June and elected a delegation-at-large opposed to the nomination of expressident Cleveland. Executive Chairman Farley, he says, has almost no experience in state politics, while Vice Chairman Cole, he says, has Miss Gentie Knight, cashmere and Valenciennes lace. Miss Gennesi, red tulle; captured and controlled the democratic state convention here in June and elected a delega-

Dr. Norton has traveled all over the state in prosecuting his work for the Baltimore and Ohio company during the last month, and he says the conditions were never more favorable for carrying Ohio for the democracy than he finds them at present. All that is needed, he says, to insure a democratic victory in the state is an intelligently managed campaigns which he evidently fears the party will not have.

THE OLD SHERMAN-FORAKER FIGHT. At the very outset of the campaign work the state executive committee of the republicans and the state republican league, Sherman and and the state republican league, Sherman and Foraker organizations respectively, have become involved in a quarrel that becomes more complicated as it progresses and promises to make the Foraker-Sherman fight much more prominent in the coming campaign than it was in the last. The fact that the league arranged some weeks ago to open its campaign work with a meeting at Woodsdale Island Park, near Cin-cinnati, has already been referred to in The STAR. The arrangements were made, it is said, with the advice and consent of Executive Chairman Dick, who promised to aid the managers of the league to secure speakers and to make of the league to secure speakers and to make the meeting the opening one of the campaign. It is evident now that this action did not meet with endorsement by the state executive committee, although nothing was given out at the last meeting of any action being taken in the matter. Chairman Dick immediately changed his attitude toward the Woodsdale meeting, gave out that it was not to be the opening meeting of the campaign to this at all opening meeting of the campaign in Ohio at all, and failed to aid in securing speakers. Worse and failed to aid in securing speakers. Worse than this the league managers began to find difficulty in securing speakers of national repute. Those they had induced to promise to come canceled their agreements and no others could be secured in their places. In this condition of things the league managers charged openly that the executive committee had deliberately gone to work to undermine the Woodsdale Island meeting arrangements.

Last Wednesday Col. W. L. Chase of Dayton and W. H. Gardner of Cincinnati, members of the committee of arrangements for the Woodsdale Island meeting, came here to meet Chairman Dick and reach an understanding, but Mr. Dick failed to appear.

NOT UNFRIENDLY TO CLEVELAND. Capt. Gilbert H. Bargar, the new treasurer of the state executive committee, said to THE STAR representative that it was a mistake to class him as unfriendly to ex-President Cleveland, saying that whatever the balance of the committee thought of Mr. Cleveland as a candidate, he certainly had good reasons to support him, as he held under Mr. Cleveland's administration one of the most responsible federal offices in Ohio, that of pension agent.

MR. COMPTON MAY RUN. The Situation in the Fifth Maryland District.

LAUREL, MD., August 19, 1892. As the time of the democratic convention to nominate a candidate from the fifth congressional district, which will be held in this town next Wednesday, draws near the interest town next Wednesday, draws near the interest increases. In conversation with a leading democrat from Prince Geome's county THE STAR'S correspondent learned that Barnes Compton had positively affirmed that on account of his poor health and the vast amount of territory to be covered during the canvass he did not want the nomination, but that if unanimously tendered him he would accept it. Great pressure to being brought to bear upon Mr. Compton, and it is believed that he will be the democrate' next candidate. THE STAR'S correspondent was also informed that while the tariff and ell-ver questions would receive some attention

The Morton Cadets Learning Camp Duty at That Resort.

MILITARY BALL.

All the Cadets Attended and Enjoyed Them selves-Some of the Ladies Who Wer Present-The Competitive Drill and Its Re-

sults—The Medals Awarded.

CAMP THOS. W. WILLIAMS, PINEY POINT, MD., Aug. 19, 1892. Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock the George Leary landed the Morton Cadets' excursion which consisted of 143 persons all told. About 5:45 the individual competitive drill took place on the hotel lawn, under command of Capt,

e of The Evening Star.



WATCHING THE DRILL

National Chairman Carter of the republican and H. S. Shepard. The drill lasted twenty minutes, ending with Sergt. O. W. Bailey as winner. He had hardly saluted when guns and carried through the ball room to years ago, when he became republican candi- he was raised on the shouldrs of date for member of the state board of public a dozen cadets, who carried him amid works, he was scarcely known outside his own cheers and congratulations from one end of the grounds to the other. Close on his heels was Corp. J. L. Fugitt, his tent mate, who came out second, being thrown out on a very fine point by Lieut, Redman. A large crowd witnessed the drill, among whom were D. D. Brennan of the War Department, who takes a great interest in the company. He is an officer in the regular army and therefore able to appreciate the merit of the competitors. Maj Powell, Capt. Knight, Mr. Rice of the National Fencibles, together with many other prominent military men, wit-nessed the drill, which was unanimously praised, and the decision of the judges was satisfactory to all. The competitors were Bailey, Fugitt, Bevans, Skinner, MacNamee, Junemann, Astel, Meding and Birckhead. Supper was the next thing in order and the number was so large that the doors had to be

> Promptly at 8:30 the ball room doors were thrown open. The grand march was led by Capt. C. F. Cook and Miss Mazie Lynham of Washington, D. C., after whom the camp avenue is named. The program was a brilliant one, being made up of waltzes, lanciers, polkas, schottisches, yorkes and fancy dances by Miss Clara Stevens and Master Arial Chapman. The dancing of Capt. Cook, Lieuts. Redman and



pretty and three to one.

The belles of the occasion were Miss Dora Valenciennes lace: Miss Mazie Lynham, crean

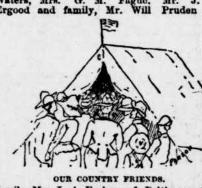
Miss Peck, pink mull; Miss Clara Knight, rose cashmere, trimmed Valen-ciennes, with diamonds; the Misses Thompson, black silk trimmed with duchess lace and dia-monds: Miss Eva Knight, crimson cashmere Springman, Miss Indermauer, Miss Fletcher, Miss Julia Wilson, Miss Adams, Miss Keough, Miss King, Miss Lockhart, Miss Hodges, Miss O'Dall and Miss Jenkins.

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Among the chaperons were Mrs. Knight, who wore black silk trimmed in lace, with diamonds: Mrs. Wash. B. Williams, black silk and diamonds; Mrs. Thomas W. Williams, canary silk, black lace and diamonds; Mrs. J. E. Smith, black silk and jewels; Mrs. Frank Madigan, Mrs. John Scott, Mrs. J. G. Thompson, Mrs. G. V. Clark, Mrs. J. E. Clark, Mrs. J. C. Ergood and Mrs. Wall.

SOME WHO WERE THERE. The following are some of the prominent people who came up on the excursion and also

of the guests present: Mrs. Freibus, Mrs. G. B. Clark and family, Mrs. T. E. Clark and family, Mrs. Jannus, Mrs. R. Langley, Mrs. Frank P. Madigan and family, Capt. Wood and family, Mrs. H. A. Linger, Capt. Powell, Mrs. Peck and family, Mr. A. S. Rice, Dr. Millard F. Thompson and family, Capt. Henry N. Knight and family, Mr. Charles W. Holmes, Mr. John Waters, Mrs. G. M. Fagne, Mrs. J. C. Waters, Mrs. G. M. Fague, Mr. J. C. Ergood and family, Mr. Will Pruden and



family, Mrs. I. A. Farlow of Baltimore, Gen. John E. Smith and wife, Mrs. Wm. Fletcher and daughter, Mrs. Scott, Charles L. Pate and wife, C. Hofheins and wife, Mrs. Jeffries, Oliver Mullan, J. H. Burch and wife, Dr. Henry May Hare, Dr. S. S. Bond, Mr. A. E. Grinnell, Miss Luttrell, Mrs. Aurand, Mr. H. Shillington and wife, Mrs. Devoe, Mrs. Paint, Mr. Altschuh and wife, Mr. Baie, Mr. James Springman and wife, Mr. Wallace Kirby and wife, Mrs. Frank Jones, Mr. Kinslow, Mrs. Swee-ney, Mr. William N. Fisher and wife, Mrs. M. M. Marmaduke, R. W. Harding and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jordon, Mrs. G. D. Burch, Mrs. S. Moore, C. J. Krauss, J. M. Foster, Mrs. Geoghegan, Mrs. William B. Mo-Kelden, Mr. W. L. Brown and wife, Dr. Piles, mother and son.

THE MEDALS PRESENTED. About 10:30, at the request of Mr. Williams

Dr. Thompson presented the medals for indi-

been voted to Lieut. Redman, who received 197 votes. Dr. Thompson made a pleasant little address, speaking extemporaneously. He said: "The camp being stationed here it was noticed by all comers that the gentlemanly conduct was unsurpassed. Every one conducted himself both as a soldier and as a gentleman. The camp was, taken as a whole, unrivaled. Wherever you see men who take an interest in any



thing not pertaining to drink or gambling you can rest assured that they are gentlemen." He also spoke of the improvement of the resort since the abolition of the bar.

SOME LIVELY TIMES.

As soon as the news reached camp ten cadets who were prepared to honor the successful competitor, went at a "double quick" to the

painted as Indians, led by Go Won Go Mohawk (Cadet Hancock) and Little Foot Big Chief (Cadet Malone), ran around, velling and danc-ing in regular Indian fashion. They built a campure behind the hotel and had an oyster

missed by the wholesale and the air was rather thick with blessings for the borrowers. Cadet Hancock sailed over to Waugh Cottage, and, feeling ill, took possession of a hammock. He was tenderly cared for by Miss Frisbee, who swung him for an hour or so.

Corporal Fugitt is seriously struck on a certain young lady down here, and if his fair friends in Washington are looking out for his welfare they had better take steps to protect

Today the camp is literally overflowing with

A MULE AND COW RACE. About 7 o'clock Cadet Wiggington, on a mule Cadets McConville and Hancock, on cows, had

a race, and the latter came out with flying colors Hancock has found a new cousin at Waugi Cottage and he seems to think a great deal of The other day mention was made of the

presentation of a load of watermelons to the boys, in which credit should have been given to Maj. J. Tyler Powell. The major has been for many years identified with the District militia, and as an ex-soldier has evinced a lively inter-est in the welfare of the boys since they have been here in camp. Mr. Haves, who was paralyzed at Mr. Swain

residence near here, is improving. Henceforth the camp will be continuous guarded day and night. Some of the boys "kicked" at the idea, but Capt. Cook was unrelenting.
The detail last night was Lieut Shepard,

officer of the day; Sergt. Bailey, sergeant of the guard; Corps. Meding, McNamee, corporals of

THE CORCORAN CADETS

Though They are Under Military Law They Have a Good Deal of Enjoyment. orrespondence of The Evening Star. CAMP FOSTER.

TOLCHESTER BEACH, MD., Aug. 19, 1892. A person unacquainted with camp life and especially a military camp cannot appreciate what great benefits may be derived from them readily concedes that this has been the most successful ever held. The work in drilling, standing guard, &c., is far overbalanced by the pleasures and many happy incidents that happen during an encampment, while it is not to be supposed that a nine-day camp as this is and paid by the men individually and not by the government, as some suppose, should be very strict in the military line. Such, however, is not the case, for it would be harder to find a not the case, for it would be harder to find a more strict order of things than is here. Hardly a person visits the camp who does not remark upon the military law that prevails over all and the soldierly bearing of the men. The drills this morning were short owing to the fact that the cadets have become thoroughly instructed and efficient during their short stay and drilled merely enough to keep in practice. Last night's exhibition was the best yet, the firings being perfect.

At the hop last night everything passed off smoothly, and it was close on to midnight be-fore the dancing ceased. A surprise was wait-ing, however, for the dancers, which was explained when supper was announced, with the compliments of the Misses Schilling and Gibson of Baltimore. It was a compliment that the boys will not soon forget. By 2 o'clock all was quiet, and it was 7 o'clock this morning be-

was quiet, and it was 7 o'clock this morning before reveille was blown.

Yesterday was a day of misfortunes and accidents. While Sergt. Collins was forming the relief at the guard tent he was accidently stabbed in the mouth with a bayonet, cutting his lip badly, making a painful but not serious wound. Dr. Foster patched him up, and this morning he can hardly open his mouth on account of court plaster.

Private Benj. Early indulged in a feast of green peaches, crabs and grapes, and he has a severe case of cholera morbus, from which he is slowly recovering. "Benj." lays his "early" recovery to a certain young lady stopping at the hotel, who attended him in camp while he was sick. When Dr. Foster sleeps no one knows, for there has not been but one night in camp that he has not had at least a patient.

Lieut. Anderson left last evening for home and was followed this morning by Capt. Barksdale and Bergt. Maj. Fellows.

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Lieut. Anderson was accompanied by his best girl, who arived a few days ago and who, I suppose, thought the lieutenant could be better managed at home than in the company of the pretty girls at the hotel.

Every one is laughing at the departure of Fellows and Barksdale. Two of the young ladies from Baltimore also went home on the same boat, but will return tonight, so they say. It has been rumored that Cupid's arrow has at last penetrated the armor of the two soldiers and startling news may be looked for. Of course everybody knows the price of marriage licenses in Baltimore—40 cents.

Tonight the "elephant party" occurs and the boys are halling out their "boiled shirts" as a result. Tomorrow evening occurs the "straw ride," followed by a "cake walk" on the pavilion. The odds at the present writing favor Finley for winning the "cake," with Charles Meyer a good second.

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If Gibson's mail continues to increase he will be obliged to get a wagon to cart it from the wharf to the camp, as fourteen love letters in one day is too much for the company postmaster to handle for one man.

Finley has been "sunburnt" to such an extent that one young lady remarked to one of the boys that she was sure she would have six weeks' bad luck for seeing him.

The "razzle" still continues at the pavilion and every one now dances the "skatorial."

Members of the orchestra have an intermission after every two or three dances, and yet complain of hard work. No one else thinks so, though, for if ever a musician had a "snap" it

An Interesting Camp Meeting Program for spondence of The Evening Star.
Washington Grove Camp Meeting.

August 20, 1892. No copious shower of rain has as yet fallen o rid us from dust, but the sprinkling cart will do good service this afternoon, thanks to the energy and efficiency of Supt. Griffith. Mr. Babcock of the Albany is doing all and everything for the comfort of the inner man and intends that the ice cream industry sha I not flag for want of supply, as was the case of last Sunday, but he can do nothing for the accommodation of lodgers that may want to stop over night, for every available apartment, bed, cot and couch are in use, and there is a steady demand that cannot be met.

Washington Grove camp meeting is steadily growing in popularity each year, and is deservedly the favorite reserved good people who can only afford one or two weeks' outing during the summer. The singing alone is well worth coming twenty miles to hear, for it has been avowed that no other camp meeting save Ocean Grove can boast of a choir like this and that it will compare very favorably with even the trained and paid choir of Ocean Grove. The grove choir is made up of talent from the several District churches, with two Montgomery boys, Poole and Griffith, as cornetists, and above all Leader Henry Wilson, who sings the goes of the corner with the same unction that the gospel songs with the same unction that the D. D.'s preach it. It is a free will offering of praises.

Elder Naylor has arranged the following rich

Providence street.

gaged in work tending to add to the success of

The circuit court of this county on Tuesday

last granted decrees of divorce a vinculo matri-

monii in the cases of Dionysius Bell agt. Alice

cuted both cases.

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town this week, on a flying visit. He has re-

AT BOYDS.

land are expected to participate, and owing to the excellent location of the grounds a consid-

THE FREE LIBRARY AND READING ROOM.

While efforts to establish public libraries, a

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the G. A. R. encampment in September.

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bulletin for tomorrow: Morning sermon by A. C. Gibson, D. D.; Dr. M. F. B. Rice of Baltimore at 3:30 p.m.; Rev. Richard Norris at 8 p.m. Other interesting services will come in

his arrival in camp, but he is improving daily under the care of Mrs. Harriet Wise and daughters, whose guest he is, at their 1st avenue This morning's sermon will be by Jas. M. Slarrow. E. H. Smith will preach at 3:30 p. m. J. K. Snyder will conduct the young people's twilight service and merge it into the evening service, to which he has been assigned.

Rev. Alfred Zimmerman of Laytonsville preached to a large congression. their northern trip.

Mrs. Finn and daughter have recently been the guests of Mrs. Diehl and Mrs. Owens.

Mr. George Paxton has commenced building an addition to "Woodbine Villa" for Mr. Geo.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Corwin have re preached to a large congregation last ovening. His text was from Gal.: 6, 8. "Be not deceived from Brookland. Mr. D. M. Wood has returned from Ashe-God is not mocked. Whatsoever a man soweth. ville, N. C.
The members of the Women's Veteran Relief

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zimmerman are the guests of H. H. M. Smith of Grove avenue.

Mrs. Bates and Mrs. J. Snyder are stopping with Mrs. Melville Lindsay. Miss Naomi Naylor returned to camp yester-Mrs. Griffith has with her Mrs. Mathews of

East Washington.

Mrs. Will Tschefelly is here, visiting Mrs.

Clara Ward on the circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Chapman and daughter, Miss Nella, spent last evening with friends in the Grove.

Prof. Glen Poole has gone from the encamp

ment to Gaithersburg to attend a political rally in Norman Hall. her Mrs. R. S. Furguson, Mrs. M. A. Brown and granddaughter, Miss Julia Hill; Miss S. R. Clokey, Miss Lola Clokey, Miss Emma Dix, Georgetown; Miss Sallie Artz, Miss M. Re Miss Victoria Joyce of Washington, Miss Virgie Grimes of Poolesville and Mrs. C. E. Thomp-

Besides the Albany, Mrs. Dorsey and Mrs. Cookson of Mispah cottage will entertain the visiting public tomorrow.

Monday's services will close the twentieth annual camp meeting.
Sacramental services will be held on Monday afternoon and the closing services at night.

Mr. Edward Taylor, who was visiting his aunt, Mrs. H. Frankland, at Ingleside, returned

o town yesterday.

Mrs. L. Youngs of Washington is registered t the Albany. Miss Eulalie Braddock is visiting friends in camp.

Misses Johnson are stopping at the Hughes

HYATTSVILLE.

ndence of The Evening Star. HYATTSVILLE, MD., August 20, 1892.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Browning have returned from Atlantic City. The Hyattsville Base Ball Club will play the Laurel team on the H. A. C. grounds this even-

ing at 4:30 o'clock. mg at 4:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Campbell have returned Mrs. S. T. Williams, was the scene Saturday there were 75,000 watermelons at Riley stock.

ton. Arrangements were made last night for a three weeks' stay in an old house on the river

Mr. Brinkley entertained a number of friends at his home at College station to hear selections by members of the H. A. C. Banjo and Guitar Club. Those who played were Mr. R. A. Hamilton, Mr. C. A. M. Wells, Mr. Wright Rives and Mr. W. Rollins. Among those present were Miss Jessie Nesbit, Miss M. Johnson, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. Macdonald, Mr. Joe Nesbit, Mr. Perry and several professors from the college.

Mr. Daniel Barron of Bladensburg is the oldest living native of Prince George's county.

Mr. Daniel Barron of Bladensburg is the oldest living native of Prince George's county. He witnessed a great many of the duels fought on the old dueling ground at Bladensburg and was concerned in the stopping of one on Maryland soil between two midshipmen from Annapolis, who immediately went over to the District side and fought it out. He was born in the November, 1814, following the battle of Bladensburg. burg. Mr. William Hickey has returned from Virginia Beach.
It is feared that the Hyattsvile Base Ball

Club will have to give up their trip to Leonardtown this summer.

Miss Schofield, Miss Walsh, Miss Glesson and Miss Schoneid, hiss waish, Miss Gleason and Miss May Walsh are among the guests visiting the Misses Duffy at their home, Black Ash. "Dog days" seem to have made the H. A. C. swimming pool useless. Whenever any one is asked to go swimming now "dog days" is the cry.
Miss Vaughn of New York is visiting the fam-

Miss Vaughn of New York is visiting the family of Mr. Geib.

A dog belonging to Mr. W. K. Brown, near this place, went mad yesterday and came very near biting Mr. Brown's youngest daughter, who had been playing with it about a minute previous. It was killed by one of the farm hands before any accident occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll of College station returned home yesterday from Atlantic City.

Miss Bessie McKnew of Washington is visiting relatives here.

while two tramps were stealing a ride on the

TAKOMA.

TAROMA PARK, D. C., August 20, 1892. Miss Joynes of Rockville is visiting her sis ter, Rev. Mrs. Griffith.

Mrs. J. D. Corse, with her granddaughter Elton Marshall, leave for Atlantic City today. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alvey returned Thursday from Ocean City. Mr. and Mrs. Burnett of Washington quests of Mrs. Martin, on Holly avenue.

Mrs. Colhoun is slowly convalescing from a

Highest of all in Leavening Power.- Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

## Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Portsmouth, Schooner Flying Scud, Baltimore, Capt Morgan, is getting light. Schooner Three Brothers, Alexandria, Va., is

ready to sail. Three-mast schooner John C. Havnes, Bath. Me., now due from the Kennebec river, wit ice, is one of the heaviest summer visitors of

Bell and Margaret Hurley agt. Salem H. Hur-ley. Mr. J. C. Rogers of Hyattaville prose-Harbor Master Robert Sutton has ordered a

Baltimore and not for this port. Schooner Chief, Tappahannock, Va., Capt

excursion steamers last evening and chartered the Lovie Randall, Capt. Davis, for a voyage to

from Atlantic City.

An error of the type made the name of Mr.

Gwin of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company read Mr. Quinn.
Mr. Broderick of the Mattano pier got over-board yesterday while fishing. He swam out.

Capt. Dick Allen of the Mary Washington will spend his vacation in New York state. Carp and cat fishing is good along the docks. Mr. Killman of Sheriff's dock was hurtlast evening by the breaking of his bicycle.

The watermelon sellers and crows are indig-

day at \$2.12. There are not more than 10,090 melons at the pier.

Three-mast schooner A. B. Sherman, well known at the ice-docks here, has put back to Baltimore, whence she sailed for New York, considerably damaged. No particulars.

Capt. Coombs, from Georgetown with coal, has arrived at Boston.
Schooner Zacheus Sherman, Capt. Bobb, from Georgetown, with coal, has reached Boston.
Schooner Cora Dunn, Capt. Harrington, sailed from Boston yesterday for the Kennebec river to load ice for Washington.
Schooner A. T. Stearns, Capt. Kelly, sailed at Boston on the 13th instant for the Kennebec to lead ice for Washington.

Boston on the 18th instant for the Renderdon load ice for Washington.
Schooner Damiel B. Fearing cleared at Bangor, Me., yesterday with ice for Washington.
Three-mast schooner Annie J. Pardee, New Haven, Conn., Capt. Crosby, from Georgetown, D. C., with coal, passed Nobska on the 18th in-

Judge Mills.

lives on Meridian Hill, appeared and accused a

prisoner in \$300 security for the grand jury.

Frank Hall, a good-looking young man, who
has been in trouble more than once because of

Miss A. G. Wilbern started this week for Old Purser Guest of the steamer Mattano vester-Point Comfort, where she will join her aunt, day presented to Superintendent Sheriff and Mrs. Trewitt, from Mobile, Alr., and spend the Agent Jones a mighty specimen of Westmore remainder of the summer. land watermelon. Mr. Daniels has moved into his new house or View bowling alley, has resigned. The vacancy Miss Hickock of Marietta, Ohio, who has been risiting in Brookland, has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Kent Thomas, who have spent was filled by George Stafford, alias "Dorty," of the shooting gallery and Edward Sullivan of Ar. and Mrs. Kent Thomas, who have spent a very pleasant fortnight with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCormick, have gone west.

Mr. and Mrs. Dowling have just taken possion of their new home on Lansing street.

Mrs. John Fisher and daughter Beatrice, with Miss Annie Mason, have gone to Petersburg. Va. of the switchback was promoted one notch. Capt. Mitchell, is discharging at Slip No. 2, American Ice Company dock. Schooner John J. Hanson, Portsmouth N. H., Capt, Oliver, is discharged. burg, Va.

A number of the members of Eureka Grange,
P. of H., in this vicinity joined with Excelsior
Grange in an excursion to RiverView on Thurs-Schooner Lottie E. Carter, Georgetown, D. C., Capt. Dave Gaskins, is light and ready to

Miss Maysie Noyes has joined a party of friends at Point Lookout. Capt. and Mrs. Baumer have returned from barges Annie Maloney and Mary Maloney to Quantico, Va., to load railroad ties for Phila-delphia.

her class that Washington harbor has enter-tained. Her registry is 757.62 tons gross. 719.74 tons net, 171.5 feet length, 35 1 feet beam and 17.8 feet depth. She was built at Bath, Me., in 1887, and is recognized at long range by K. D. T. S.

new eighteen-foot batteau for service in his d It is stated at the American Ice Company's dock that the four-mast schooner Lydin M. Deering, Capt. Hamilton, which sailed from Rockland, Me., on the 16th instant, cleared for

Johnson, is in the Kennebec. Four-mast schooner Independent, Bath, Me., Capt. Case, hence to Baltimore, is ready to sail from that port for Boston or Portsmouth with A party of excursionists-elect missed all the

Mr. Charles G. Taylor of Riley's dock is back

Mr. Ketchain, assistant agent of the George Law, has returned to duty.

Several Prisoners Charged With Theft Befo

tered the stable of Hugh Daly, in the county, Policeman B. T. Rhodes arrested the prisoner, whom he found with the harness in his

Rachael Simms, an aged colored woman, who

ALONG THE WHARVES. The Craft That Makes up the Commerce of BROOKLAND, D. C., Aug. 19 1899.

Mr. John J. Stafford, captain of the River Schooner P. Richardson, Richmond, Va.,

Capt. John Maloney will take his Philadelphia

The Hydraulic Press Brick Company will probably charter Capt. O'Malley's schooner Elia and Carrie for their shipment of brick to

Schooner Alice Holbrook, Capt. Ellis, sailed from New York on the 18th instant for the Ken-nebec (South Gardner) to load ice for Washington.
The John Nichols is loading lumber in the Rappahannock river. Schooner Alphabet, Baltimore, has sailed

The Laurel base ball club will visit Hyattsville tomorrow and play the crack team of that
place. The boys are in first-class trim and feel
confident of winning.

Negotiations are now being carried on by the
city council for the establishment of an electric
lighting plant in our town, and proposals for
putting in the plant have been invited.

Rev. S. M. Hartsock is announced to preach
at Cenetany M.E. Church next Sunday morning and evening, the Rev. Mr. R. R. Murphy
being unable to be present on account of the
illness of his daughters, Daisy and Lillie.

The Misses Laura and Bessie Dorsey of Hampton, Va., are visiting friends here. The Misses Johnson, is discharging. Four-mast schooner J. R. Teel, Boston, Capt.

The Misses Laura and Bessie Dorsey of Hampton, Va., are visiting friends here. The Misses Dorsey were formerly residents of this town.

Mrs. Senator Gorman and the Misses Gorman have announced that on Thursdays they will be glad to receive their friends at their country home, "Fairview," in Howard county, about five miles from Laurel.

Miss Josephine Gillenwater has returned to her home in Washington, after a pleasant visit with friends here.

Miss Ida Duvall has resigned as one of the teachers in School No. 3.

Mr. H. F. Purdy of St. Paul, Minn., was in town this week, on a flying visit. He has re-Fort Washington. Schooner Orianna is discharged and sails to-

grounds and piazzas were handsomely illumi-nated by Chinese lanterns, while the long par-lors were filled with ferns and sunflowers. The

lors were filled with ferns and sunflowers. The merry making was opened by a bean bag tournament, in which Mr. W. B. Porter of Baltimore and Mrs. Welch of Washington took the first prizes, while Mr. Nicholson and Mrs. Hilliard captured the boobies. Fancy dances by "May Blossom" were much enjoyed. After refreshments were served dancing was indulged in till midnight. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson, Misses Repp, Miss Mattingly, Mrs. Bergman, Mrs. and Miss Clements, Mr. Burbank, Mr. Raymond Frey, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. D. Oliver, Miss Brown, Mrs. Brown, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Cullimer. Mr. Greene. Mr. and Mrs. Teepe, Mr. Wilson Limerick, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Apple, Mr. Nicholson, Mrs. Schooner Lizzie Spicer is at Baltimore.

Three-mast schooner Dale, New Haven, Conn.
Capt. Coombs, from Georgetown with coal, ha

ter, Mr. and Mrs. Apple, Mr. Nicholson, Mrs. Harlan, Mr. and Mrs. Frey, Mme. Chevre Mont. Mr. and Mrs. Welch, Misses Montrop and many

D. C., with coal, passed Nobska on the 18th in-stant for Boston.

Schooner E. F. Angell, Capt. Tripp, cleared at Portland on the 18th instant for the Kenne-bec and Washington.

Schooner Samuel Dilloway sailed from Ban-gor, Me., on the 18th for Washington.

Schooner Eclipse has sailed from Norfolk with lumber for Washington.

Schooner Geo. B. Faunce is at Baltimore. others.

Great preparations are being made for the tournament and picnic to be held at Boyds Wednesday next, August 24. No pains or expense are being spared to make it a success. Some of the best riders of Virginia and Mary-

Thomas Boss, a colored man who resides the county, was in the Police Court today on a charge of burglary. It was charged that he enand stole a set of harness.

possession. He had the stolen property in a Judge Mills held him for the action of the grand jury and he was committed to jail in

While efforts to establish public libraries, as stated in THE STAB, are in progress in Washington under the lead of the school superintendent and teachers, and library movements are made in Anacostia and other towns in the neighborhood, the effort to reopen the public library here has so far failed of success. The Alexandria library is nearly as old as the Washington school, and is not far from its centennial. It was established on the 24th of July, 1794, by Rev. James Minor, Col. John Fitzgerald, Robert Mease, Dr. E. C. Dick, Charles Lee, Wm. Hartshorne, Edward Stabbler, Charles Simms, John D. Orr and others. It was first located in a private house, then in the northwest room of the old market building, then at the Lyceum Hall, afterward at the Christian Association rooms, above French's store, then in German's building on King street, afterward at Neale's building on King and Washington streets and after having many of its books sold for rent, &c., found a home at the Peabody school building, where it has for many years remained unopened because of need of money to pay expenses. There has been for some time a project to reopen the library room as a reading room for the public. A meeting of the committee having the subject in charge will be held next week, and Alexandria will not be behind Washington in the endeavor to provide wholesome reading for the public. colored man named Henry Nichols of grand larceny. She charged that he entered her room and stole \$55. A colored woman who appeared as a witness testified that the morning after the robbery she met Nichols and asked